LETTERS FROM TWO STATES

NEW LONDON COUNTY

SALEM

Excellent Sermen on Temperance-President Taft Thanked for Letter Bela Pratt Visits Old Home.

Rev. J. S. Cogswell preached an ex-cellent sermon on Temperance in the Congregational church last Sunday

The Lincoln service in the Sunday school was unusually well attended; the piedge was signed by two-thirds of the number present. An expression of thanks was voted and sent to our chief magistrate, Hon. William H. Taft for his timely and helpful letter on total abstinence.

Nathaniel Clark led the Christian Endeaver service in the evening. Endeavor service in the evening. Samuel Calkins and Miss Calkins of New London were the first of the summar guests to arrive at the Hurlburt

Bela Pratt in Town.

Bela L. Pratt, the sculptor, of Boston, spent several days in town the

Miss Eva M. Standish spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her parents in Westchester.,
Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Standish and little daughter Sydney visited friends in New London Sunday.

Mrs. M. W. Rackett and Miss Pearl
Brown of Mystle were Sunday visitors William Raymond was in town Sun-

day. William Maynard was in New London on business Monday.

Ira D. Gifford and Mrs. Herbert
Houston were in Montville Monday.

Mrs. William Darling, Mrs. James
Lowe, Mrs. Thomas Murray and Mrs.

Chadwick were Colchester visitors on

Mrs. Susia Rogers was called to North Plain Monday on account of the serious illness of her sister, Mary T.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Raymond Douglass ere in Norwich Thesday. Attended Auction.

Aftended Auction.

A few from town attended the auction at Deacon Miner's farm in Millington Wednesday. Enoch Crandill was clerk of the auction.

Next Sunday morning Rev. J. S. Cogswell's theme will be Peace and Arbitration. Peace will also be the subject under discussion in the Sunday school. Sunday exening the topic is Missions in Japan and Korea. Rev. Mr. Cogswell will lead.

NORTH STOMINGTON

Pastor's May Basket, Was a Barrel of Flour, Etc.-Box Turtles Come-Back Marked.

William Wood of Richmond, R. I... has been visiting friends here.
Chief of Police George M. Pilling and family of Danielson visited at George C. Spooner's last Sunday.
Rev. Mr. Smock received a good sized May basket last Saturday evening consisting of a barrel of flour. box of crackers, 20 pounds of sugar and many other useful articles: also a sum of money.

a sum of money.

Mrs. Frank E. Noyes of Providence in visiting at George C. Spooner's.

The roads are being put in better

The severe drouth is discouraging to farmers who are now planting their

George Strong has sold his place to New York purchasers and has moved Box Turtles Seen.

A number of box turtles have been seen here the past week. They are very scarce and it may be years before they will be seen again. Some have names and date out on the under doe of the shell which zo back to our grandfathers, time

WINDHAM COUNTY.

CENTRAL VILLAGE

May Basket for James Wilcox on 89th Birthday-Funeral of Mrs. George Gould

Mrs. August Holgerson spent Wedesday in Willimantic. Elmer Lewis was in Webster Sun-Mrs. Esther Grover has been enter-taining Mrs. Lydia Spicer of Daniel-

Howard Clarke has gone to South-ampton, L. L., where he is at work in an ice plant. Mrs. Jane Campbell of Voluntown is

visiting her cousin, Mrs. David Kennedy Miss Helen Mathewson was a Norwich visitor Wednesday Mrs. Arthur Baton of East Killingly

Mrs. Arthur Estato of East Killingly
has been visiting Mrs. Emma Baton.
Mrs. Pelix Lambert has been entertaining her niece, Miss Tarbox, of
Jewett City.
Mrs. Fred Mitchell spent Wednesday in Willimantic at the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Bridget Reed and Mrs. William

Mrs. Sringet Reed and Mrs. William Thompson were in Moosup Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ray. Mrs. Urgele Lafrance entertained her sister, Mrs. Archibald Blanchard. Taftvilie, Saturday. Miss Elsie Ladd of Willimantic s Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Everett Ladd. Miss Anna Wilcox spent Wednesday at the W. C. T. U. convention in Willi-

Mrs. Michael Connelly has been a Moosup. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Barber spent ridge at Ocean Blach. Miss Addle Holland of Putnam

spent Monday at William Dean's.

Miss Florence Benedict of North
Abington, Mass. is visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. George Benedict. Mrs. Arnold B. Mathewson, Mrs. L. Howard Cross. Misses Ruth and Paul-Ane Mathewson spent Friday in Nor-Mrs. George Benedict was in Nor-

with Weinesday. Homer Dean and George D. Seguin spent Sunday in Putnam at Frank D.

33th Birthday May Basket.

James Wilcox, who recently passed his 89th birthday, had a May basket party Tuesday evening. His Methodist friends from Moesup and this village called to spend the evening, bringing a huge May basket loaded with good things.

Carroll Lawton of Brooklyn spent Sunday at William Loring's, William Newton of Providence vis-ited his mother, Mrs. William Newton,

Guest from Florida.

Mrs. Samuel Mitchell is entertaining ber niere, Mrs. Harriett Yates, of Florida.

Mrs. Joseph Levalley spent Thursrs. William Jowett is spending a days at her mother's home in

Southbridge.

Martin Weish of Auburn, N. Y., formerly a resident of this village, visited friends Sunday.

Death of Mrs. George Gould.

Many friends of Mrs. George Gould.

Many friends of Mrs. George Gould were surprised to learn of her death Sunday afternoon after a few days illness. She was the oldest daughter of William Newport and has spent most of her life here. She was married last September, but had been housekacoping only a week. She was 21 years old: She leaves besides her huse and, her parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Newport, three brothers, Otis, Waster and William, two sisters, Minnis and Agnes. The funeral services

were held at the Memorial chapel on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. George Benedict officiated. Beautiful flowers were given by Mrs. Fred W. Tillinghast, Miss Louise Tillinghast, Miss Helen Mathewson. Miss Ethel Collins, Mrs. Jennie Williams, Miss Annie Jenkins, Dr. and Mrs. James Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. William Green and family and many others. Burial was in Evergreen cemetery. was in Evergreen cemetery.

HAMPTON

Prospect House Sold-Summer Residents Arriving.

The Sewing circle met with Miss Ethel Lewis last Tuesday afternoon.

Sale of Hotel.

A. J. Greensilt has sold the Prospect house to Mr. Starkey.

Mrs. Wilder Smith and daughter Alice of Hartford came to their summer home here on Thursday for the summer.

Mrs. C. R. Hansel of Hartford was in town one or two days the first of the week getting their home here ready or the summer.
Miss Florence Hicks of Brooklyn, N.

is staying with her father, Charles Frank Hicks made an auto trip to Willimantic last Thursday.

Auto Frightened Horse. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hammond came near having a serious accident when on Saturday afternoon they star-ed to return from the blacksmith shop ed to return from the blacksmith shop leading a horse benind a wagon. The horse became frightened at an automobile and began rearing and plunging between the hind wheel and body of the wagon, finally wrenching the hind wheel from the axie. The occupants of the wagon es aped unhurt, but the horse was considerably scratched and bruised.

It is said that Martin Welch, who is in a Boston hospital, is improving

in a Boston hospital, is improving slowly. Mrs. William Phillips has been spending a few days at their summer cottage at Crescent Beach.

EASTFORD

Governor's Secretary Spends Brief Time at His Summer Home-Castle Opened.

Augustine Bartlett spent the weekend with his family in Putnam.

George Bosworth of Southbridge
Mass., spen; Sunday with his parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Bosworth. M. Darwin Lewis returned with him on his way to Monson academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Welcome Davis are visiting their daughter in Pawtucket, Lyman Briggs has gone to Pawtucket, R. I., for several days.

Lyman Briggs has gone to Pawtucket, R. I., for two weeks' visit.

Mrs. Ellen Ballou has spent a week or more in Woonsocket, R. I.

Mrs. Mary Warren was in Putnam on the 19th.

Secretary Thomas Improving Prop-

erty. Edwin Thomas, Gov. Baldwin's se retary, spent a night here last week. His daughter Lois has assisted at their summer home. Mr. Thomas is having improvements made to his residence. Miss Mollie Trowbridge of Brook-lyn, N. V., has arrived at the Old Castle for the summer. She was ac-companied by her Aunt Jeanette.

CHAPLIN.

C. Clitus Bradford Sells Property in Canterbury-How G. A. R. Post Will Observe Memorial Day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Bogota, N. J., visited over Sunday at Merritt Welch's, making the trip in Mrs. John Stoughton and child of Windsor has been a visitor at A.M. Litcafield's.

C. Clitus Bradford of North Society, Canterbury, recently sold his farm, including a large tract of timber, to Charles Phillips of Plainfield, who has come to make his home with his sister, Mrs. W. B. Gallup.

Observance of the 30th,

T. G. Erown Post, No. 79, G. A. R., is to observe Memorial day in a patriy. The principal exercises of will be held in the Congrega-burch in the afternoon. Rev. way. H. C. McKnight will deliver the adess. The North Windham band is furnish music for the day

Quinebeaug Pomona grange meets with Natchaug grange today (Satur-day). The exercises will be held at the Congregational church.

STERLING

Funeral of Orren Babcock-Townley Kenyon Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Geoge B. Babcock have the sympathy of friends in the loss of their three-year-old son, Orren loss of their three-year-old son, Orren W. Babcock. The funeral was held in the Methodist church on Saturday, May 20, Rev. Roy Thomas preached the sermon. Burial was at Oneco. A large number attended the Thorn ley-Kenyon wedding on Wednesday May 17. Miss Bertha Bennett of Sterling was bridesmaid and Ernest Travis of Fall River wast best man. Rev Roy Thomas officiated. Sandwiches cake, punch and ice cream were serv-ed. The bride and groom are spending their honeymoon at Germantown Pa.

Several from this place attended the baptizing at Spring Hill Sunday.

The Epworth league prayer meeting was held in the vestry of the M. E. was held in the vestry church Friday evening.

Memorial Sunday Service. The Memorial day services will be held at Oneco on Sunday, May 28. Mrs. Charles D. Chester, who has been ill, is much better.

WESTMINSTER

Merrill Button remains very feeble. Mrs. A. A. Smith, Miss Evangeline Smith and Mrs. Columbus Smith at-tended the county meeting of the W. C. T. U. in Willimantic on Wednesday. Miss Carrie Button returned home Sunday

Miss Helen Button was a caller at Merrill Button's on Sunday. The C. E. meeting Sunday evening was led by Deacon Edmond. Jack Kemp was present and gave an interesting talk.

A union memorial service will be held in the church here next Sunday at 2.39 p. m. A male quartette will

Won Silver Medal.

At the Windham county W. C. T. U. day Mrs. Columbus Smith, a member of the local union, won the silver med-al in the matrons' speaking contest. There were five other contestants from different parts of the county. Mrs. Smith is receiving congratulations from her many friends.

Miss Lita Ogden spent Wednesday mish with Miss Land of Canterbury and attended the strawberry supper held in the church there.

RAWSON

Miss Annie Lathrop is taking a short outing in Syracuse, N. Y., the guest of her brother. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snow of South

THOMPSON

Work Stopped on Roam Estate on Account of Heat-Mrs. Baldwin's Death at Worcester.

Mrs. Emma Shaw Colcleugh of Providence was at her summer residence here a snort time last week. Miss Grace Granger has re-opened her home here.

Miss Harriet R. Lewis is visiting in Morris Plains, N. J.

Miss Myrtice Kingsbury of South Windham was in town with two friends over Sunday.

Miss Swallow of Providence has been visiting Mrs. Myron Elliott.

Rev. and Mrs. C. I. Ramsey of Pen's Grove visited Mr. and Mrs. Everatt Rhodes last week on their way to Berwick, Mass.

to Berwick, Mass.
Dr. R. C. Paine has a new automo

97 Degrees on Monday. The thermometer registered 27 de-grees at the Ream estate Monday. The horses were called in from work-ing on account of the heat.

Memorial Services. The Memorial day services are to be held in the Congregational church Sunday. Rev. J. N. Garst of the Baptist church delivers the address to the G. A. R. in the afternoon.

Mrs. Baldwin's Funeral. Mrs. Baldwin's Funeral.

Mrs. Harriet Munyan, Mrs. Clara.

Armstrong, Mrs. A. E. Knight and
F. M. Knight attended the funeral of
Mrs. Achsa Baldwin in Worcester on
Friday of last week. She was a native of Thompson and survived her
husband by only two months. She
leaves one daughter, Cora A. Baldwin,
principal of the Chandler street school.

SOUTH WINDHAM.

Y. P. S. C. E. Union Meeting-Various Notes of Local Interest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Avery were week end visitors in Mystic. The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting Sunday evening was a union meeting with the Juniors. Miss Grace Lewis leader. Miss Juniors, Miss Grace Lewis leader, Miss Ethel Golden sang a solo.

Karriet Newell spent Sunday with Mrs. Huida Eaton.

Mrs. John Jennings and F. E. Peckham were visitors in Norwich on Monday.

Mrs. Johanna Healey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harvey, of Windsot

Arthur Rice is in a Springfield hos-pital recovering from a slight opera-tion. Theodore Hendrickson of Boston has een visiting his father, Henri Hen-

drickson.

Mrs. Walter Backus and her mother Mrs. Avery, are spending a few days in Mystic. Mrs. Clarence Chamberlain is visit-ing Mrs. W. E. Francis of Danielson. Conn. Fred Binns of Norwich was a visitor

Mrs. Edward Homeston has been spending a few days with her daughter. Mrs. John Faircloth, of Leonard's Bridge. Mrs. A. E. Kinney has returned from a stay in Hartford.

WAUREGAN

Surprise on Birthday-Stack Finished -New Raceway to Be Put In.

A birthday surprise and May bas-ket was given George Worden one eve-ning this week, about fifteen of his friends being present. Fred Maynard is again on duty after a slight illness.
Farmers hereabouts say if rain does not fall soon the hay crop will be a

failure. Tall Stack Completed. The masons have raised the stack of the Wauregan company to the height called for, and all that remains to finish is to remove the staging. A gang of pipers have arrived from

Providence to do the work in connection with the new bollers and engine for the company. Vacation for Mill Employes. The mills will be closed from Fri-

being drawn off to permit the workmen to put in a new raceway. Dr. Milton Warren of Dr. Danielson caught a string of seven trout near here Wednesday. One weighed one pound and 11 ounces and another one and one-quarter pounds.

Mrs. Walter Dudley and daughter of Woonsocket, R. I., are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kies.

day night until Wednesday, the trench

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

Raymond Sheldon Injured-Masons to Observe St. John's Day.

Albert Williams, who has been suffering a severe attack of neuralgia, with malaria, is improving.

Misses Gladys and Mildred Sheldon were initiated in the mysteries of the Grange on Wednesday evening.

Broke Collarbone.

Raymond Sheldon is home with a broken collarbone, caused by a heavy fall at the Southbridge optical works, where he was employed. He had only recently returned to work after a bad accident to a finger.

Miss Marie Curtis returned today from Bermuda and Clinton.

Mr. Perkins is in Stonington for a visit and may find a place to board there.

On Sunday the church voted unani mously to invite the Masons of this section to unite with the church in observance of St. John's and St. John the Baptist's day, the last Sunday in

To Observe St. John's Day

WEST WOODSTOCK

Local Visitors to The World in Boston Disappointed - Grass Crop Needs

The main topic is the excessive grought which has seemingly put the hay crop beyond redemption.

Miss Kate Danielson from Danielson ansa Rate Danielson from Danielson is with Mrs. F. L. Corbin.

Mrs. Welcome E. Bates is in this parish for a few days.

Those from this parish who have visited The World in Boston are somewhat disappointed in this respect: They go early and plan to leave for home about 5 and they find that the home about 5, and they find that those who are to explain and make inter-esting the exhibit do not go until aft-

WOODSTOCK VALLEY

Meeting of Clover Circle-Personals

Clover circle met with Miss J. Lou-ise Kenyon Wednesday afternoon, A teachers' meeting was held at West Woodstock on Friday. Miss Harriet Slingsby returned from

Hartford Friday.
Charles M. Smith and Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Florence Deane of Danielson were at Allen W. Kenyon's on Wednesday.

Mrs. Florence Hayter and son returned to their home in Clinton, Mass.,

WOODSTOCK

Miss Ethel Spalding of the Norwich Free Academy faculty spent the week end in town.

Rev. R. R. Kendall is to preach a sermon appropriate for Memorial day Sunday morning. Judge and Mrs. Albert Mathewson of New Haven have been guests of Mrs William Mathewson.

Miss Susan D. Gordon has returned

urned from visiting relatives near Miss Amy Kendall returns this week from her school work in Florida. She is to spend her vacation at the par-

sonage.

Mrs. H. B. Kingsbury. Miss Inza
Hinrichs and Mrs. W. C. Child have
been appointed a committee to have
charge of the exercises of Children's

day.

Rev. G. F. Waters was in Hartford Sunday.

Mrs. James J. Williamson is the guest of relatives in Ekonk.

Marvin F. Hyde has a new pair of black team horses.

BROOKLYN

Memorial Services to Be Held at Bap tist Church-Friends Assemble for Birthday Celebration.

At the reunion of the Twenty-first regiment, Connecticut voluntzers, held at East Hampton on May 16, Vine R. Franklin and Theo. D. Pond. who served in Company K, were present. Mr. Franklin's wife being with him. Fifty-six members were present. This was the home of the chaplain, Rev. Thomas G. Brown, and although being situated in an inconvenient place to hold the reunion on account of the difficulty in getting to and away, many, made a special effort to away, many made a special effort to be present in remembrance of their chaplain.

chaptain.

Mrs. Mary Stanley, who spent the winter with relatives in and near Providence, has returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Pond, after an absence of two weeks, visiting their son in Meriden, have returned home.

Memorial Services. The Memorial sermon will be preached in the Baptist church Sunday evening, Rev. G. F. Genung, D. D., being the Prof. Rufus Sheldon and daughter have returned from Pittsburg, Mass., where they have spent the winter.

Birthday Gathering. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Walker and children were guests of Frank A. Spaulding and wife for a week and on Sunday were joined by Clinton Frink and wife of Canterbury, Frank D. Spaulding and wife of Danielson and E. A. Spaulding, wife and daughter of Worcester, it being the birthday of Mr. Walker. Monday Mr. Walker returned to his home in Hartford. Mrs. Walker and the children are to remain a while longer.

EKONK

Body of Mrs. Mary Kegwin Buried in Local Cemetery-Notes.

Mr. and Mrs George Gallup spent two days in Norwich last week. They spent Saturday and Sunday in Provi-

dence.
Visitors at the Gallup homestead are Mrs. George Mattison of Providence and Miss Chapman of Norwich. Rev. Mr. Carter of Plainfield preached here again on Sunday. He was entertained at A. A. Stanton's.
Remains of Mrs. Mary Kegwin Brought

Here.

The body of Mrs. Mary Kagwin was brought here on Wednesday from Norwalk for burisl in the cemetery under the hill. The deceased had reached the advanced age of 99 years. She had resided with a niece for a number of years and to her tender, loving care is due the length of years Mrs. Keg-win has enjoyed. A large number of relatives came from a distance to her funeral. Rev. Mr. Carter officiated at

the grave. Charles Hopkins came over in his touring car on Wednesday morning to take Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gallup and son Everett to his home in Plainfield to help selebrate the 71st birthday of Mrs. William C. Stanton, also the fifth birthday of his little daughter, Emily Hopkins. Mrs. Ann Corey is visiting her daughter in River Point.

WINDHAM

Mrs. William M. Brown returned H. D. Utley of New London was at the inn on Sunday.

Mr. Hazard has bought a farm at

Perkins Corner, Coventry, and ove his family there. Mrs. F. E. Guild has as her guest Mrs. F. E. Guild has as her guest her mother, Mrs. Clark, of Putnam.
Alan Guild spent Saturday night with friends in Norwich.
Harold Hayen of Pittsburg is with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Taintor at the inn.
The topic for the C. E. meeting on Sunday evening will be Missions in Japan and Korse. Japan and Korea. Acts 17: 1-14. Leader, Rev. Harry Grimes. W. F. Maine is on jury duty in the superior court in Putnam this week. Ascension day was observed at St. Faul's church on Thursday morning by

the celebration of the holy communic Albert Brown and friend from Hart ford were at home over Sunday. Miss Elizabeth Clark was the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Guild, the first of the week.

ATTAWAUGAN The Sunday school is getting ready for a Children's day concert, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gibney enter-

tained Mr. Gibney's brother and family of West Thompson over Sunday. Mrs. Henry Davis of Quadic spent Sunday with her mother. The motor truck is in New York for

Mrs. William Harvey and child of Webster are visiting Charles Weeks and family. Bernard Coffey of this place and Katherine Lash of Ballouville were quietly married Monday morning at

Mrs. Timothy Sweeney has been en-Mrs. Leffesh is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith of Putnam spent Sunday with Charles Weeks

EAST WOODSTOCK

Rev. J. E. Porter, returned missionary from Austria, will address the La dies' auxiliary this (Saturday) after noon. A social hour will follow. Mr. Porter also occupies the pulpit

Sunday.

Mrs. Silas Allen and little daughter of New Haven are guests of L. H. Linderman and family.

Alice Steere is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. A. Wetherell. The library will be closed on Tues-day, Mamorial day. day, Mamorial day.

Leonard Morse of Hartford is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Jennie Perry.

Mrs. H. J. Potter and Mrs. Agnes Wood came this week to the Potter homestead for a stay of several weeks.

Several ladies cleaned the Congregational church Theeday.

tional church Tuesday HOWARD VALLEY

F. A. Burnham, Frank Mathews, D. Copeland and Thomas Roberts were Sunday visitors in Willimantic. Bev. John Roberts of Clinton, Mass., preached in the Valley church last H. Hume has the contract for scrap-ing the roads in the town.

SOUTH CANTERBURY

Mr. and Mrs. William Towne and Miss Frances Palmer of Canterburg Green and Mrs. Daniel Chase of New York called on Mr. and Mrs. Lavi K. Clark Sunday. Mrs. Henrietta Huntington of Baltic ras visiting Mrs. T. J. Barber last

During 1910 Chill produced 7,705, 535 Spanish quintals more nitrate than during 1909, with a prospect of as Mrs. Frank Skinner and son have regreat an increase for 1911.

DAYVILLE

Congregational Rollcall - Changes at

Marvin Howard was in Hartford on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Abraham Oliver was in Albany, N. Y.; visiting friends a few days last week.

Mrs. Belden of Hartford was at her summer home here Sunday. The Ladies' Aid society met with Miss Bernice Cogswell Wednesday afternoon.

Annual Rollcall.

The annual rollcall of the Congrega-onal church was held Tuesday even-ig. A fine collation was served by the committee. Officers were elected

for the coming year.

Mrs. C. A. Russell spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. Charles Marble of Worcester.

Mrs. M. M. Griffin and Mrs. Fred Sayles were recent visitors at Mrs. W. L. Bidwell's and Mrs. Clinton Atweedie

wood's.

Miss Edna Ayer of Oakland Beach
entertained Mrs. Charles Franklin of
Dayville for the week end.

Miss Hazel Smith was a visitor in
New London Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Cregan was entertained
by Mrs. Idense O'Vell on Wednesday.

by Mrs. James O'Neil on Wednesday.
M'ss Bernice Cogswell was in Nor-

W. D. Cogswell spent the week end at Oakland Beach. Mrs. Frank Field entertained Mrs. John C. Miller of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Monroe had Webster, Mass., friends with them on

Sunday

Miss Winifred Doughty and Miss Annie O'Neil spent Sunday with Wauregan friends. Returns to Norwich. John Cook, boss carder for the Assawauga company, has resigned and returned to Norwich.

John Pruden, boss dyer, closed his labors with the Assawauga company on Saturday.

Burial of Mrs. Rav. The body of Mrs. Thomas Ray was brought here for burial on Wednes-James Walker spent Monday in Wor-

POMFRET CENTER Grange Pays Compliment to Dramatic

Carl and Virginia Sharpe were home the past week.
Fanny E. Brown visited the week
end at Westland.
Joseph Scott and Solon Alger attended the Buffalo Bill show in Wor-

wolf Den grange held their regular meeting Wednesday evening. An interesting lecturer's hour was presented by Lecturer Fuller, Refreshments were served as a compliment to the Drametic club witch gave the play remained by the complete course witch gave the play remained to the practice club witch gave the play rematic club which gave the play re cently.

ABINGTON

Miss Virginia Sharpe of North Sterling spent Sunday at her home here.
Wolf Den grange held its regular
meeting Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Sinclair of New York is at her immer home. Mrs. Philo Kingsbury is quite feeble

TOLLAND COUNTY

HEBRON Illustrated Lecture-Play Given by Mrs. Frank Williams.

The illustrated lecture given by Chester W. Tennant in the Town hall last Friday evening was of high grade and very entertaining as well as instructive. Mrs. William O. Seyms played a selection on the piano and the Misses Porter sang twice. Both were enjoyed by the audience. Dance Follows Play. Mrs. Frank Williams gave a

-The Minister's Wooing-in the Town hall last night. The music was fur-nished by Tennant's orchestra. Dancing following the entertainment.

Mrs. William Chamberlin was able to attend church last Sunday for the first time in many weeks.

Defeated Columbia. The Hebron and Columbia baseball teams played in Columbia last Saturday. The Hebrons won, 12 to 4.
Miss Sarah T. Palmer, superintend ent of schools, was in town last Wed-The Rev. J. G. W. Herald held meeting in the Jones street school-house Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. L. M. Lord returned Friday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Harry K. Viner, in Cromwell.

Mr. Craig and daughter of South Manchester were guests of Mrs. Frank Raymond Sunday. Miss Irma B. Lord was at home from East Hampton over Sunday.

Repairing Roads, F. O. Brown, with three horses and sidescraper, is working on the roads of Hebron.

Miss Helen A. Lord, who has been ill with grip, is much better and returned to school in Hartford last Mon-

STAFFORD Band to Play at Wales-Grange Degrees Conferred.

Rev. I. P. Booth attended the mis-

sionary exposition in Boston last week The Stafford Cornet band will furnmusic for memorial service a Wales, Wednesday Degrees Conferred.

At the meeting of Stafford grange Tuesday night the third and fourth degrees were conferred on a class of four. Ice cream and cake were serv-The pulpit of the Baptist church will

be occupied next Sunday by Rev. R. Maplesdean, secretary of Connecticut Literary Institution.

Mrs. Carrie Hassett is spending tow weeks with Mrs. M. F. Dwight.

E. Patnode has opened a shop in the place recently occupied by Joseph Starkey Taken Back to Hospital. Some excitement was caused in the

village last Friday when it was learn ed that an inmate of the epllep hospital at Monson was at large the vicinity. He made his escape Thursday, spending the night on the farm of William Rockwell. Friday he was taken by F. J. Glover in his automobile to North Monson, where he was met by a party from the hospital, who took him back.

UNION.

Marcy Homestead Opened-Death of Doris Howlett.

W. Richards and family called on friends in Staffordville Saturday.

The Marcy brothers of Hartford are spending a few days at the Marcy

Mrs. L. Miller visited friends in Hol-land last Thursday. E. M. Horton and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Horton and son attended the funeral of Doris, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Howlett, last Friday. The little one was granddaughter of E. Horton. Mr. Munda of New York visited his

daughter, Lillian Munda, at Mrs. Ty ler's the past week.

ler's the past week.

The Congregational church was prettily decorated with swamp pink and other wild flowers last Sunday. **BOLTON NOTCH**

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McPherson were Hartford visitors Monday. Mrs. James Coners is entertaining her sister, Miss Down of Hartford. James Hughes of Springfield, Mass., Have

SOUTH WILLINGTON Memorial Church Building Completed -Fine New Clock Already in Place -Four Dials, Six Feet in Diameter.

as the guest of his father, John

Work on the church is progressing without a hitch and the beautiful structure is nearly completed, so far as the building itself goes, although the various fixtures and furnishings will require considerable time to put into place. The bell, organ, pews and furnishings are yet to come. The clock, however, is in its place and keeping time since last Saturday. The movement is mounted in the tower about 45 feet from the ground, run by time and strike weights of 800 and 250 pounds, respectively. The dial is of opalescent glass, six feet in diameter. When the bell, which is to be hung directly underneath the clock, is in position the clock will strike the hour and half hour. The four dials will be illuminated in the night by electric lights from within, which will also be controlled automatically by the clock movement. The pendulum weighs 175 pounds. From the hill to the north of the village or from the railroad station the time may be read, and of course, from Pinney Hill and W. E. Battye's as well. The tones of the church bell is this village will tend to soften the effect of the mill whistle, each having its place in our lives and serving its good purpose.

Memorial Day Exercises.

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Plans are well under way for the Memorial day exercises that will be held in the Baptist church on the Hill at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, May 30. Miss Clara Nichols has resumed her place as agent at the station.

COLUMBIA Mrs. Mary B. Yeomans Returns from California - Hebron Team Defeats Local Nine, 12 to 4

Mrs. Mary Yeomans, who has been spending the winter in California and other places in the west, returned to her home on Columbia green last Sat-Herman Wolff, fireman on the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., and Miss Florence Bowker or Norwich were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolff over Sun-

Hebren Team Won.

A ball game, played on Columbia green last Saturday afternoon by Hebron and a local nine, resulted in a victory for the Hebrons, 12 to 4.

Major C. H. Owen and family of Hartford have arrived at their summer home, "The Outside In," on the west shore of Columbia lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester J. Hutchins entertained several friends and relatives tertained several friends and relatives over Sunday.

Road Repaired.

The annual repairs on the highway have been completed, or nearly so, earlier than usual, as there has been but little if any hindrance on account but little if any hindrance on account of bad weather.

Mrs. William Squiers is visiting friends on Long Island.

Rev. F. L. Hall of New Haven is expected to occupy the pulpit in this place next Sunday, the 28th.

The Ladies' Aid soceity held a business meeting at the chapel last Tuesday afternoon.

NORTH COVENTRY Auction at Sanderson Place-Grange Enjoys Entertainment on Sisters'

Night. Rev. H. M. Kellogg and Deacon Wil-liam F. Pitkin, as delegates from the Congregational church, attended the Tolland county conference at Belton

. Kellogg and family are getting cordially received by the parish.

Alfred Pitkin of Hartford has visited his brother, Deacon William F. Pit-

on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson of Brooklyr. N. Y., were guests over Sunday John E. Kingsbury. To Move to Bay State. George Stanton sold a large amount of household goods and farm tools at auction Tuesday and is soon to move his family to Holyoke, Mass.

Miss Hannah Kingsbury led a very interesting C. E. meeting in the chapel of the parish house on Sunday even-

ing. There was a large attendance. Grange Meeting. The last regular meeting of the county grange was Sisters' night and a very interesting programme, musi-

The recent rains have revived vegetation amazingly and already assured a good grass crop.

cal and literary, was gone through

BOLTON Congregational Conference With Local

Church-Supervisor Barber Confers

With Teachers. The Tolland conference of Congrega-The Tolland conference of Congregational churches met with the Bolton church last Wednesday. The meeting was opened at 10.30 with devotional services by Rev. Charles Bort of Bolton, the speakers being as follows: Rev. W. S. Beard, Willimantic; Rev. R. G. Clapp and Rev. Mr. Valentine of Stafford Springs, Rev. Marion H. Jones of Staffordville, Rev. D. E. Jones of Ellington, Prof. C. A. Wheeler of of Ellington, Prof. C. A. Wheeler of Storrs, and Rev. R. M. French of Tol-

held a meeting at the Center school building Wednesday afternoon. Miss A. M. Alvord is spending a few days in South Manchester.

Teachers' Meeting.

School Supervisor F. W. Barber of Willimantic and the Bolton teachers

Mrs. Agnes Maxwell was a recent

ELLINGTON Wednesday's Rain Appreciated by the Farmers-Notes.

Mr. McDougall of Norwich is visit-ing at Mr. Hale's for a few days. Byron Tiffany of Worcester, Mass, returned home from visiting his niece. Mrs. Richardson. Arthur Birdseye of Farmington lectured at the Grange here on Wednesday evening.

The farmers are rejoicing over the much needed rain which fell on Wednesday

nesday. Harold Patrick is recovering from

an attack of scarlet fever. Olin Stinson and family and George Stinson of Hartford were guests of Thomas Stinson over Sunday. They made the trip by automobile. WILLINGTON

After the prayer meeting Thursday vening Miss Gardner took up the Corea study. A strawberry social is planned on the vening of Memorial day, with a patri-

On a recent Sunday the Davis brothers, former residents, motored down from their home in Palmer to call on

otic entertainment, war songs, etc., under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid so

old acquaintances.

The grange met Friday evening.
There was an instructive lecturer's

Mrs. C. V. Smith is visiting in New Haven